

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Liwerant, et al. : Group Art Unit: 2611
Serial No. 09/631,583 : Confirmation No. 9242
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE
AND
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on October 19, 2007. This paper is a re-submission of the originally filed Request for Continued Examination and is properly signed.

This paper was originally submitted in response to the final Office action mailed on March 7, 2007 in the above matter.

The applicant requests continued examination of this application under 37 CFR 1.114. An amendment to the claims and the fee of \$395.00 specified by 37 CFR 1.17 (c) accompany this Request.

A Request for extension of time appears on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.